Alaska Reading First

STEP 2: District Reading First School selection Form

DISTIRCT SUPPORT OF SCHOOLS TO BE SERVED

Criterion: The Department of Education & Early Development will provide a list of eligible LEAs. The LEA will establish school eligibility by listing those schools that meet the performance criteria of:

- ➤ 15% or more of 3rd grade students reading below grade level; AND,
- > 5 or more 3rd grade students reading below grade level

Schools must meet one or both poverty criteria:

- ➤ Title I School Improvement; OR
- > 15% or more students are in Title I poverty count.

From the district list of eligible schools, describe the criteria used to make the school selections.

- 1. From the list of eligible schools in your LEA and using the school readiness survey, which schools will be selected to receive Reading First grant funds? Describe the criteria used to make your choice.
- 2. Describe your plan for addressing the needs of eligible schools that will not be selected to receive Reading First funds. Describe the factors that most influenced your decision not to select these schools.
- 3. Describe how the number of selected schools is sufficiently targeted to ensure that each school receives adequate funding to make significant progress toward increasing student achievement in reading.
- 4. Describe your plan to leverage existing resources to coordinate Reading First activities with all local reading efforts in grades K-3.

Scoring

The Proposal:

- Identifies the schools to be served
- Describes criteria used to make the selection
- Describes how adequate funding is available to serve number of schools to be selected.
- Describes how district will use existing resources to coordinate Reading First activities with existing state and local efforts

Does Not Meet	Meets Standard	Exemplary Plan	Total
Standard			
0-2	5-8	9-10	

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District:

	Performance Criteria				Poverty Criteria				
School	15% or more of 3rd grade students reading below grade level	AND	5 or more 3rd grade students reading below grade level #	AND	Title I School Improvement		15% or more Students are in Title I poverty count	Reading First eligible? Yes/No	Propose to Serve under Reading first? Yes/No